

## Combine Case Principals Committed

### Freight Rate To East Reduced

### \$5,000 Bail is Set As Magistrate Gives Decision Wednes.

## Cut Means Little As Stipulation Cuts Benefit to Growers

F.O.B. Price of Apples will not be Affected—Reduction will Mean Reduced Price to Wholesaler and May Increase Sales—Government Willing to Continue Consignment Export Shipment Subsidy but Quantity of Shipments Depend on Nova Scotia's Inability to Absorb Quota—Permission to Ship Thirty Cars on Consignment Basis Already Received—Last Week's Movement is Satisfactory

### Negotiations Hampered by Election

THE railways have acceded to the request of the B.C. fruit growers that a lower rate should be allowed on apples sent to Eastern Canada from this province but, according to word received by The Courier from A. K. Loyd, acting manager of B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd., and Major M. V. McGuire, who have been in the east during the past two weeks, the concession has not been made without reservations.

A telegram sent jointly by the two men on Monday night to The Courier indicates that the government is willing to continue the subsidizing of consignment export shipments but that all negotiations with the government have been greatly hampered due to the election.

The government has agreed to a thorough review of the 1939-1940 fruit situation but points out that this is not practical now until after the election which will not take place until March 28th. The government, however, gives full assurance that as soon after that date as possible full and equitable consideration will be given the difficulties of the fruit industry.

Some concession has been obtained from the railways which have agreed to reduce the freight rates to Eastern Canada to the extent of twenty-five cents per hundred or twelve and a half cents per box. However, they have not allowed any reduction in rates to prairie points and the eastern reduction is contingent upon B.C. Tree Fruits allowing the present f.o.b. prices to Eastern Canada to remain in effect. This apparently means that little benefit will accrue to the local grower, excepting a stimulus in sales.

A week ago, in anticipation of some rate concession and to get the local apples moving into Ontario and Quebec as soon as possible after the lifting of the zoning regulations, Tree Fruits Ltd. set a price some what lower than that of last year, but on a delivered basis. This was done on the assumption that the freight rate reduction would permit of a little increase in the past week's f.o.b. price.

However, the stipulation of the railway companies now places the reduction at the sales end of the deal and does not affect the current f.o.b. price.

On a delivered basis a box of apples priced at, say, \$1.65 in the east would pay on the old rate about eighty cents in freight, leaving the f.o.b. price at 85 cents. The new rate would be added to the f.o.b. price which would then be about 97 cents. Under the new regulations a box which formerly sold at \$1.65 must sell at \$1.53, pay 97 cents freight and leave the f.o.b. price as it was during the past week.

It is understood that the railways took the ground the reduction in rates was the sale of apples and that giving the consumer the advantage of the reduction will assist in increasing the consumption. Mr. McGuire, acting manager of B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd., was reluctant to make any statement until he had further information from Mr. Loyd.

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## ARMY'S NEW DIET INTERESTS APPLE GROWERS

Army to be Fed More Apples in New Diet, Defence Minister States

Considerable interest was evident in the Okanagan on Wednesday in the announcement made by the defence minister, Hon. Norman Rogers, that a new scale of rations for Canadian military and air forces would lay special emphasis on fresh apples, milk, fish and eggs. It is felt that such a scheme should tend to increase the consumption of apples.

In making his announcement Mr. Rogers said the new menu was calculated to modernize the dinner table of the fighting forces with all the calories and vitamins beloved of dietitians.

A committee of scientists and experts in dietetics, upon the request of the defence department, through the National Research Council of Canada, drew up the new ration list. As well as providing a diet arranged to bring under-nourished men to the pink of physical condition in a short period and maintain that condition, the minister said, the proper preparation of their food has been arranged for by the provision of cooking schools for army cooks.

Rev. W. R. Adams, Bishop of Kootenay, will preach at St. Michael and All Angels' Church on Sunday

## Just A Nice Day's Bag



On the left, ladies and gentlemen, we present Game Warden W. R. Maxson, of Kelowna and on the right, the one and only Charlie Shuttleworth, predatory game hunter, as they look over the result of a nice piece of work. Well, it took slightly more than one day to track down these beauties and bring them tumbling down from the high trees, but these cougars won't prey on the pretty deer anymore. This picture was taken by B. Chichester, of Kelowna, who accompanied these two hunters into the McCulloch and Black Mountain districts. The cougar, whose remains are stretched out in the foreground was shot in the McCulloch district and the other three were killed on Black Mountain.

## Conspiracy Charge Against Nine Companies and Five Individuals Dismissed by Local Magistrate

Lack of Sufficient Evidence Caused Abrupt End to Charge Laid in Connection with McGregor Findings in Combines Investigation—Provisions under Combine Act Relative to Submission of Documents Obtained by Order of Commissioner Defeated Crown's Case—Crown Counsel Unable to Submit Necessary Evidence to Permit of Commitment

CHARGES laid against five individuals and nine companies of conspiracy, as arising out of the combines investigation, commission findings relative to charges laid by Godfrey Isaacs, Oiyama grower, at a Vernon meeting in August, 1938, were dismissed by Magistrate T. F. McWilliams, in police court in Kelowna on Wednesday afternoon, following a hearing which opened on Monday, February 5. The magistrate ruled that there had not been sufficient evidence submitted to justify committing the accused to a higher court.

## OLIVER SEEKING TWO BIG PROJECTS

New Hospital and High School Unit Favored

On Monday evening, Oliver residents voted solidly in favor of a \$30,000 20-room hospital, one-third of the money to be raised in Oliver, one-third by the provincial government in the form of a grant and the remainder to be donated by a Catholic order, who would operate it under the supervision of an Oliver-elected hospital board.

At another meeting held the same evening, a move to request the government to build a junior-senior high school was endorsed. This school would serve Oliver, Osoyoos and Testalinda, the present accommodation being deemed totally inadequate. The cost of this school is estimated at \$40,000.

Those who faced the charge were E. J. Chambers, Vernon, president of the Associated Growers; R. B. Staples, Kelowna, president of Sales Service Ltd.; A. C. Lander, Kelowna, of Sales Service and Lander Co. Ltd.; W. P. Riley, president of Western Grocers, Winnipeg; and Alexander McCulloch, Winnipeg, of Dominion Fruit Ltd.

Other companies involved, besides those aforementioned, were Kereones Fruit Ltd., Kereones; Browne Co. Ltd., Penticton; Cascade Fruit Co., Kelowna; and Browne-Lander Co. Ltd., Vernon.

Important notices of law were involved in this conspiracy case to a far greater degree than in a combines charge, preceded it. As a result of the magistrate's decision regarding these points of law, Crown Counsel H. I. Bird, Vancouver, was unable to introduce a considerable volume of documents exhibited which might have placed a different complexion on the affair.

It was finally decided that any documents which had been produced pursuant to an order by the commissioner should be produced by the latter, could not be submitted in this conspiracy charge. As a result, only letters which W. P. Riley had handed over to Mr. McGregor following a verbal request made by the latter in Winnipeg in 1938 were allowed to be filed as evidence.

Other documents were filed for identification only, in the event of the Attorney-General deciding to indict the defendants and bring them before a higher court. Due to the wording of the combine act, however, this is considered unlikely.

Section 24 of the combines act reads: "No person shall be excused from attending and giving evidence and producing books, papers or records in obedience to the order of the commissioner... nor shall any such documents be used or referred to in any criminal proceedings except proceedings under this (Combines) Act or under section 498 of the Criminal Code."

Section 22(5) of the same act describes the order of the commissioner as follows: "Orders to witnesses and all other orders, process or proceedings shall be signed by a commissioner."

It was this was deemed by the court that if it could be proved that an order signed by the commissioner had been used to obtain documents for the purposes of the combines investigation, then those documents could not be introduced by the crown as evidence in this conspiracy charge.

Mr. Bird, on Monday afternoon, after the first witness, G. A. Barrat, Turn to Page 5, Story 5

## ACTIVE SERVICE VOTE DETAILS COMPLETED

Soldiers, Sailors and Airmen to Vote Between March 18th and 23rd

The active service voting regulations recently adopted provide a special procedure for taking the votes of members of military, naval and air forces of Canada.

The vote wherever they happen to be between March 18 and March 23 inclusive, for a candidate in the Electoral District in which they resided at enlistment.

Ordinary returning officers have nothing to do with taking their vote. It is not necessary to enumerate active service electors who can vote without being on any list.

Where a person on active service has moved into another electoral district and established what appears to be a permanent ordinary residence there he may have his name entered on the list and vote there as a civilian.

## HOCKEY PLAYOFFS TO START FEB. 17

Team to Represent Okanagan to be Selected by Month-end

Definite dates for the North Okanagan Hockey League playoffs have been decided upon, Norman Schroeder, secretary of the league, announced this week.

The second and third place teams will play off a best out of three series on February 17 and 19, and if necessary, February 20. The home game will be awarded to the second place squad.

The winner of this contest will then meet the first place team on February 21, 23, 24, 26 and 28 in a best out of five series. It is known that the winner of the Kootenay League will meet the winner of the Okanagan League in the Western Canada finals. Although no definite date has been set for the encounters, it is expected that the Coy Cup playoffs will be held here but as yet no date has been announced. It is understood that New Westminster is making a vigorous bid for these finals.

The date announced for the Western Canada finals has been given as March 13 but an effort is being made to have this changed and at present the time for these contests are still uncertain.

## NATIVITY PLAY AT EAST KELOWNA

Notwithstanding the snow and slush, quite a good crowd attended the nativity play presented at the East Kelowna community hall on Tuesday evening by the Junior A.Y.P.A. of St. Michael and All Angels' Church at the request of the St. Mary's branch of the parish guild. All seemed delighted with the performance of the various characters and singers and the charming setting of the various scenes.

## A. K. LOYD RETURNS

A. K. Loyd, chairman of the board of governors of B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd. and president of the B.C.F.A., is expected to reach Kelowna today from the east where during the past three weeks, he has attended a number of important meetings in connection with the fruit business.

## Peachland Man Holds Perfect Club Bridge Hand

The thrill of a lifetime came to C. C. Inglis of Peachland on Monday evening when he picked up his bridge hand and came face to face with thirteen clubs. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Heighway, Mrs. L. Bedford and Mr. Inglis had been playing for about two hours with the usual two packs, every card when Mr. Inglis picked up the unusual hand.

Unable to believe his eyes, he searched through the all-black hand in fear of finding a lurking spot of spades and, when finally convinced that he held a perfect hand in clubs, he speechlessly laid his grand slam hand on the table without making a bid.

It is understood that Mr. Inglis would have been slightly annoyed had his opponent on the left bid seven no trumps. Several years ago Mrs. Heighway held a perfect hand in hearts in a game of auction bridge at Peachland.

## LEGION TO SEEK HELP IN WAR WORK

Will Launch a \$500,000 Campaign on February 12th to Carry on War Work

On February 12 the Canadian Legion War Services will launch a nationwide appeal for \$500,000.

Considered in the cold light of the eventual value to Canada, and without weighing its benefits as a contribution to the peace of mind of the members of the naval, land and air force, the work undertaken by this great wartime organization is a sound investment in Canada's future welfare. That the investment will be productive of dividends is assumed already, being fore-shadowed by the amazing response from the men of all ranks who are eager to accept the facilities offered them to continue their education even though on active service.

The magnitude and importance of the education program offered by The Canadian Legion War Services, in collaboration with the Canadian Association for Adult Education, may tend to attract attention only as the first time in man's history that an organized, well-planned effort has been made to help men in wartime prepare themselves for peace. But, underlying the undertaking, there is the paramount objective of winning the war.

In addition to education, The Canadian Legion War Services program includes personal services, entertainment (including developing of soldier-concert parties and moving picture presentations), recreation huts and leave hostels (with facilities for reading, writing and games), publication of unit newspapers, travel information, and sports.

Never having asked for public money for such a purpose the Legion launched its program under its own energies, but so big did it become, despite the wealth of voluntary effort that more funds are needed. So it appeals to the people of Canada for a half-million dollars. Canadians, on February 12, will be asked to invest this amount in a non-profit making undertaking which will build for today and for the future.

A number of Kelowna persons attended the annual Gyro Snowball Frolic in Penticton last Thursday.

Boys' Band concert is being held tonight at the school auditorium.

## Powell, Summerland, and Gray Mentioned as Possible Choice Liberal Nominating Convention

Liberals to Make Choice at Meeting in Penticton on Wednesday Next—Gray Definitely Casts Hat Into Ring—Powell Gains Strength—All Prospective Candidates but Gray Come from Summerland or South

Late Wednesday night when contacted in Penticton, F. Guimont stated that he was definitely in the field as did Gordon Wilkins and Oscar Matson. Charles Oliver stated positively he would not allow his name to stand.

POLITICAL interest locally during the past week has centred around the probable Liberal nominee to be selected at the party's nominating convention in Penticton on Wednesday next.

Half a score of names are mentioned frequently with W. R. Powell, Reeve of Summerland; Charles Oliver of Penticton and Reeve W. G. Wilkins, Penticton, as well as A. W. Gray of Rutland, being mentioned most prominently. Other names mentioned include F. Guimont, Oscar Matson and Thomas McAstocker, all of Penticton, and Reid Johnston of Summerland.

W. R. Powell has gained considerable strength apparently during the past few days with his supporters pointing out that he is a fruit grower, has a successful business background and in December made a fine showing in the municipal contest in Summerland.

A. W. Gray this week definitely threw his hat into the ring and naturally has won considerable support throughout the centre of the Valley. He is the only prospective candidate north of Penticton.

W. G. Wilkins is the present reeve of Penticton and was Liberal candidate against Grote Stirling in the 1936 campaign.

Charles E. Oliver is an ex-reeve of Penticton and was candidate against Grote Stirling in 1935. He is a son of the late Honest John Oliver.

Frank Guimont, also of Penticton was a candidate for Liberal nomination when Charles Oliver was chosen candidate in 1935. He is a C.P.R. dispatcher at Penticton and is a former member of the provincial game board.

Tom McAstocker, Penticton, is president of the Yale Liberal Association and is an engineer of the Kettle Valley Division of the C.P.R. Reid Johnston has been C.P.R. agent for years at West Summerland, has taken a prominent part in Liberal affairs throughout the Valley and has been mentioned a number of times as a possible nominee for either provincial or Dominion Liberal candidacy.

W. R. Powell is reeve of Summerland. He is a fruit grower, who has taken a prominent part in fruit circles for many years. At present, he is a member of the Board of Governors of B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd. and also an executive of that body. Another possible candidate is Oscar Matson, retired contractor of Penticton. He has long supported the Liberal cause in the South Okanagan from the time he first entered the Valley and became interested in the construction of the Oliver project.

A. W. Gray is a fruit grower with a ranch of twenty-nine acres, fifteen of which are in orchard. For the past six years he has been provincial relief investigator for the department of labor of the provincial government. He spent one year as travelling investigator and covered practically the entire province south of the C.P.R. For several years he was in charge of the Turn to Page 4, Story 6

## \$5,000 Bail is Set As Magistrate Gives Decision Wednes.

Eight Companies and Four Individuals Committed by Magistrate McWilliams for Trial—Case will Now Go to Higher Court and Venue will Probably be Changed to Vancouver—Preliminary Hearing Took Over Week—Defence Counsel's Plea for Dismissal Set Aside—Lengthy Arguments Submitted by Crown and Defence Counsel at Conclusion of Evidence—Part of Charge Has no Precedent in Canada

### Eleven Main Points in Case are Outlined

IN a hushed voice, and speaking in a lower tone than he generally uses, Magistrate T. F. McWilliams, on Wednesday afternoon shortly after one o'clock, refused the application of Defence Counsel Alfred Bull, K.C., for dismissal of the famous combines charge against A. C. Lander, R. B. Staples, W. P. Riley, Alexander McCallum and eight companies involving these men, and indicated that he would adjourn the court for formal commitment when bail was arranged with County Court Judge J. D. Swanson, at Kamloops. The court was then adjourned until 1.45 when arrangements had been completed and the four men were released on bail set at \$5,000 each.

This brought to a temporary end one phase of the case resulting from charges which were made by Godfrey Isaacs, Oiyama grower, in a Vernon fruit growers meeting in August, 1938. It is expected that both the crown and the defence will press for change of venue to Vancouver, instead of allowing the defendants to be tried before an Okanagan jury at the Vernon Assizes in June. It is anticipated that the request for change of venue will be granted.

Preliminary hearing of the combines charges commenced on Monday, January 29, and continued until Saturday morning, February 3, when the counsel summed up their respective cases. On Wednesday morning, Magistrate T. F. McWilliams summed up his findings of the evidence in eleven respective counts and submitted them to all defendants and H. I. Bird, Vancouver, crown counsel. The various major points were argued and the magistrate then continued the adjournment until one o'clock that afternoon.

Mr. Bull given the view expressed by Mr. Bull in his application, the best consideration of which I am capable," declared the magistrate, "and I have arrived at the opinion that I should not grant that application. I will therefore adjourn this case for commitment."

No defense was entered by Mr. Bull and arrangements were made for bail at \$5,000.

The exact charge which confronted the defendants was that between January 1, 1938 and December 31, 1938, these individuals and firms "unlawfully were parties to or privy to or did knowingly assist in the formation or operation of a combine by way of a merger, trust or monopoly extending and applying to the business of dealing in commodities the subject of trade or commerce, to wit, fruits and vegetables by the acquisition of control over or interest in by Western Grocers Ltd., the whole or part of the business of another, to wit, Lander Co. Ltd., Sales Service Ltd., Kereones Fruits Ltd., Browne Co. Ltd., Browne-Lander Co. Ltd. and Cascade Fruit Co. Ltd., corporations engaged in the business of grading, packing, storing or selling fruits and vegetables, the property of producers; and Dominion Fruit Ltd., a corporation engaged in the business of purchasing and selling fruits and vegetables, which merger, trust or monopoly is operated, or is likely to operate to the detriment of or against the interest of the public, to wit, consumers, producers or others and did thereby commit an indictable offense contrary to the provisions of the Combines Act, 1923, Chapter 9, Revised Statutes 1927, Chapter 28."

The aforementioned companies were the eight involved in the combines charges and were represented in the case by the four individuals. J. H. Hamilton, Vancouver law student, assisted Mr. Bird in conducting the case for the crown while H. V. Craig, Kelowna assisted Mr. Bull. A court stenographer was present from home in Vernon today.

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## WAR CONTRACT STORY IS DENIED

A. J. Jones Says He has no Knowledge of War Order His Firm is to Have

Reports current this week that the A. J. Jones Machine Shop and Boat Works had obtained a contract to build a number of small boats for the Royal Canadian Air Force were denied by Mr. Jones when contacted by The Courier on Wednesday.

"If it is so, I do not know anything about it," Mr. Jones laughing, replied to The Courier's question, "I guess if any contract has been awarded, you know more about it than I do for I have not heard a word about it."

Major M. V. McGuire Returns Major M. V. McGuire, who has been attending the Canadian Horticultural Council sessions in the east in his capacity as president, and also the meetings of the national apple advisory council, of which he is a member, is returning to home in Vernon today.

Seventy dollars to be contributed for the defence of Canada on Wednesday morning was turned over to Mayor G. A. McKay at a pleasant little ceremony in the city council chambers by a delegation representing the Kelowna Japanese Women's Association.

Mrs. H. Yoshioka, acting as spokeswoman for the delegation, desired to show in some tangible form their keen interest in their adopted country and had collected seventy dollars which they desired to contribute to the defence of Canada.

It is indeed a small sum, she said, "but we would like you to

precisely the deep sentiment behind it. We would ask you to forward this money to the proper authorities. We sincerely pray for peace."

Mr. McKay, in reply, stated that he was happy to act as the intermediary in such a laudable undertaking and would see that the contribution reached the proper authorities.

"This is a very creditable act and a magnificent gesture on behalf of your adopted country," Mr. McKay stated. "It shows a fine spirit of co-operation and a desire to promote the cause of peace."

The delegation was composed of Mrs. H. Ebihara, president of the Japanese Women's Association; Mrs. K. Shiozaki, vice-president; Mrs. K. Kobayashi, secretary; and Mrs. H. Yoshioka, adviser.

Alfred H. Brown and J. H. Hamilton were present.

## Moisture Depth in Kelowna Hills Is Considerably Below Average

Joe Rich and McCulloch Headwaters Report Lack of Snow and Rain so Far This Winter

From the Joe Rich area comes the news that only 9 1/2 inches of snow fell during the month of January, according to C. H. Philpott, government weather observer at Mission station. Attesting to the unusually mild weather are the figures shown in his report with maximum temperatures from 23 degrees to fifty degrees on January 28 and 29.

On January 24, the thermometer dropped to two below zero and on January 19 zero was reached. But on January 3 the thermometer did not drop past freezing point.

Last year, in January, the depth of moisture figures for Monday, January 2, was 15 inches; Monday, January 9, 19 inches; Monday, January 16, 23 inches; Monday, January 23, 24 inches.

The figures this January for the same approximate times were: Monday, January 1, 3 inches; January 8, 1 1/2 inches; January 15, 4 1/2 inches; January 22, 5 inches; January 31, 5 inches. With the small amount of snow-

fall in the Joe Rich area, this usual haven for the skiers has been a dead loss this winter.

This station is at the intake of the Black Mountain Irrigation District. Although the heavy precipitation this week may alleviate conditions somewhat, the watersheds in the Kelowna and Summerland districts indicate a much lower depth of water in snow coverage than the average of the past few years, according to Dr. K. Penfold, of the Water Rights Branch, Kelowna.

For instance, in January, 1940, the depth of water stood at only 2.5 inches at McCulloch, while in January, 1939, it stood at 6.17, in 1938 at 6.97 and 1937 at 4.03.

The ten-year average for the same period stands at: October, 1.11; November, 1.10; December, 1.59; January, 1.24.

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AYLMER SOUPS; 3 tins 23c  
Vegetable or tomato ..... 3 for  
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Tomato Sauce ..... 3 tins  
1 lb. Tall tins ..... 3 for  
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Appledale First Grade ..... 3 for  
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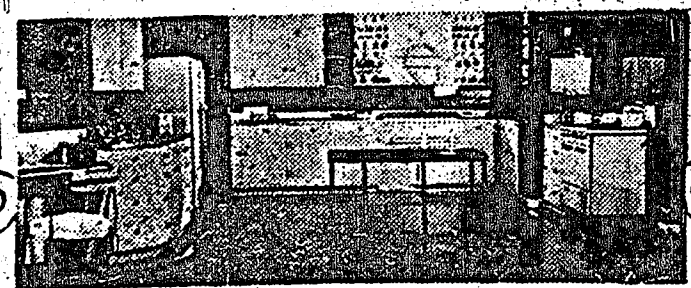
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teams the North and the South re-  
sulted in a North win.  
The Summerland girls in their  
yearly visit to Peachland had the  
advantage in their game with the  
Peachland girls but the two teams  
went into lively tussle. The end of  
the first half saw only two points be-  
tween the opposing teams. Summer-  
land having the lead 8 to 6. The  
visiting team doubled the opposing  
score in the later half to win nea-  
ly 14 to 9.  
Summerland—N. Thornwaite 4,  
B. Strachan 4, M. Read 1, T. White,

J. Thornwaite, K. Nisbet, total 14.  
Peachland—M. Ekins 4, P. Bower-  
ing 3, G. Bain 2, D. Gaynor, T. Mc-  
Kinnon, D. Miller, total 9.  
The Intermediate B's, who won  
from Summerland at the first game  
bowed to them for this the second  
game which gave them a game  
each. Peachland seemed to have  
great difficulty in finding the bas-  
ket and at quarter time had failed  
to score while Summerland had 5  
points. Miller broke the ice by  
sinking one in the second quarter  
and Sanderson followed to give a  
6 to 4 score at half time.  
The game warmed up after the  
half for both sides, with Follet mak-

ing one basket for Peachland and  
Miller and Gummow accounting for  
three and five to make the score  
22 for the locals against the win-  
ning Summerland's 29. Summer-  
land seemed to have as much  
trouble sinking their shots in the  
first half as the locals for only one  
basket was made from the floor, a  
nice one by R. MacLachlan, the  
other four were made on fouls.  
They made three points on fouls in  
the last half to help them clinch  
the game.  
Peachland—R. MacLachlan 7,  
Dodwell 7, B. Fisher 5, R. White 8,  
H. Rumball 1, Tooner 1, Davidson,  
total 28.  
Summerland—Gummow 10, Miller  
8, Sanderson 2, R. Follet 2, Gaynor,  
Birkeland, total 22.  
The third game was the first of  
a series for the local championship  
and was a senior game with players  
divided at the Athletic hall into  
the North and South. This was a  
stirring contest with both teams  
putting all they had into the strug-  
gle. At half time the North, End  
Sharpshooters were leading the  
South End Slickers 6 to 4, and in  
spite of gallant attempts to wrest  
the lead from them, they finished  
in the lead 23 to 20. Bowering for  
the south took scoring honors, with  
10 points, while N. Ekins scored 8  
for the North.  
South Side Slickers—Bowering  
10, Twine 4, Clements 4, Wilson

His Humanity.  
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His Temptation.  
February 25, Transfiguration—  
The Great Renunciation.  
March 3rd, The Witness of His  
Teaching.  
March 10th, The Witness of His  
Prayers.  
March 17th, The Silence of Jesus.  
March 24th, Easter Service.  
These talks should prove inter-  
esting and helpful and in keeping  
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Europe began to get emeralds  
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## RADIO REVIEWED IN ADDRESS AT MEN'S CLUB

J. W. B. Browne Addresses A.  
O.T.S. Men's Club of United  
Church

A review of the development of radio was given by J. W. B. Browne, CKOV manager, to the A.O.T.S. Men's Club supper meeting at the United Church parlor Thursday,

February 1st. The modern Kelowna radio station CKOV is a great contrast to the small one called 10AY which operated ten years ago but 10AY enabled CKOV to commence. George Dunn who publicized Kelowna in earlier years by 10AY broadcasts inspired Mr. Browne's career in radio. While Mr. Dunn operated 10AY, Mr. Browne was in the hospital for a long period and he determined he would try to develop a local radio station on a commercial basis when he became well and he took a keen interest in Mr. Dunn's equipment. Station 10AY relinquished its li-

cence in 1930 through consent of the Kelowna Radio Association including Messrs. G. Dunn, J. Browne and R. Johnson. CKOV was authorized to commence operations when it obtained its commercial licence. Appreciated especially by those in more remote places, the church services broadcast on Sunday mornings most of the year are an institution. When power break-downs or other things occur to prevent broadcasting, letters from distant places report that they missed programs they usually listen for. Characterable work has been done by CKOV when misfortune came to individuals or communities.

Particularly in war time care is needed in uttering words over the radio for errors are awkward and costly. All matters to be broadcast now must first be written. Political talks must be submitted in triplicate form three days ahead of time. Mr. Browne's interesting talk appealed to the forty men present and the speaker was thanked by J. M. Brydon, and also by A. J. Hughes, and was introduced by Dr. W. W. McPherson. The next supper meeting will be held February 22 instead of the 15th so as not to conflict with a Rotary gathering, and the latter group

plans to supply a speaker for the next A.O.T.S. meeting. Enjoyable games of ping pong, shuffleboard and quits were played after.

## HIGH SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

This week the school has been remarkably quiet. At least everyone seems to be working harder. The play rehearsals are keeping all those dramatically inclined people

busy as sailors. On Wednesday the intermediate B basketball team played in the play-offs at Peachland. The school hockey team played in Vernon last Friday and lost—well better luck next time! The uncanny weather has several skating enthusiasts extremely worried. But we can't help noticing home many more times they have their homework done.

## AUTO IS TURNED UPSIDE DOWN

Harry Carter, of Peachland, Has Narrow Escape in Accident

A car driven by Harry Carter of the Pine Tree Cafe, Peachland, skidded on the Glen road on Saturday evening and landed upside down in T. Carter's lot but little damage was done to the car and Mr. Carter escaped injury. With a

light snow falling and the roads icy, the roads were quite slippery on Saturday. The accident took place on a slight curve just above Maple Corner with the car going straight on instead of making the turn. It was righted and taken out on Sunday morning. Quite Hopeless With it glowing look on his face, the private came down the steps of the military hospital. "Hello, Bill!" said a passing comrade. "And how is the sergeant-major this morning?" "There's no hope," he said, sadly. "He returns to duty tomorrow."



## 2 \$5,000 BAIL

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Vancouver, while Corp. W. J. Butler was the court clerk.

On Wednesday morning, the eleven points in the arguments presented to Magistrate McWilliams, were presented by him to the court and were as follows:

1. Section 32 of the Combines Investigation Act provides that every one is guilty of an indictable offence who is party to or privy to or knowingly assists in the formation or operation of a combine with the meaning of the act.

2. The defendants in this case are charged that they have been guilty of that indictable offence.

3. The particular type of combine

which it is charged was formed or operated is "a merger, trust, or monopoly which has operated or is likely to operate to the detriment of or against the interest of the public."

4. A merger, trust, or monopoly is defined in the act as meaning one or more persons:

(a) who has or have purchased, leased, or otherwise acquired any control over or interest in the whole or part of the business of another; or

(b) who either substantially or completely control, throughout any particular area or district in Canada or throughout Canada the class or species of business in which he is or they are engaged.

5. The information charges that the merger, trust, or monopoly was constituted by the purchase or acquisition by Dominion Fruits Ltd. of control of or an interest in the whole or part of the business of companies named, thus specifically naming Dominion Fruits Ltd. as the one person who has purchased or

acquired control over or an interest in the whole or part of the business of such named companies.

6. Dominion Fruits Ltd. is the "merger, trust, or monopoly" referred to in the charge.

7. A merger, trust, or monopoly is brought within the definition of a combine only when it is established that it has operated or is likely to operate to the detriment of or against the interest of the public.

8. Dominion Fruits Ltd. can be brought within the definition of a combine only by establishing that it has operated or is likely to operate to the detriment of or against the interest of the public.

9. The operations of Dominion Fruits Ltd. are in issue and it is essential to the establishment of the Crown's case that it be proved that Dominion Fruits Ltd. has operated or is likely to operate to the detriment of or against the interest of the public.

10. The operations of the other companies, as such are not in issue and are only in issue if it be shown that they are part of the operations of Dominion Fruits Ltd. and then only as part of such operations.

11. The operations of such other companies can only be regarded as part of the operations of Dominion Fruits Ltd. if it be established that the operations of such companies are controlled or directed by Dominion Fruits Ltd.

None of the submissions are inconsistent with the points which have been made in summary, Mr. Bull declared after hearing Magistrate McWilliams' statement that the Crown's case is a strong one.

Magistrate McWilliams stated that all companies were involved.

"But it was only brought out that the Dominion Fruit held stock in the Landers Co."

Dealing with Point No. 9, Mr. Bull referred again to G. A. Barrat's evidence regarding the operation of Tree Fruits Ltd., the single selling agency. He contended that any likelihood of a combine operating to the detriment of the public in the future was wiped out by that Tree Fruits precludes any such likelihood.

Magistrate McWilliams admitted that the three last points were the most important in the case, and he elicited from Mr. Bull that his statement represents a correct statement of the points of the case.

Crown Counsel Bird agreed with Magistrate McWilliams' statement that no prosecutions are on record in Canada regarding the merger section of the combines charge, but he considered that the magistrate had taken too restricted a construction on the points.

The combines act deals with combines and combinations, argued Mr. Bird and he contended that the whole setup was a combine as the ultimate result. There is no suggestion that any other person but Dominion Fruits Ltd. purchased in interest in the Landers Co. but in so doing Dominion Fruit set up this combination.

Magistrate McWilliams submitted that one man could be Crown Counsel further pointed

## Hungarian Meets Wife And Daughters After 11 Years' Separation

Steve Schneider is overjoyed to day as he has been reunited with his wife and two daughters whom he left in Hungary eleven years ago. Mrs. Schneider and daughters arrived on Tuesday in Vernon, where they were met by the joyful hubby and they expect to continue to the Kelowna district today.

Schneider works on L. G. Butler's farm at East Kelowna where he has saved his wages religiously so that he could bring his family out to join him.

By last August, Schneider had saved enough money to send for his wife and two daughters, aged 17 and 16. The women set out and were in Bremen when war broke out. Unable to take a North German Lloyd liner to Canada they were forced to turn back to Budapest and come by another route.

In the meantime, the elder daughter passed her 18th birthday, which automatically lost her right to enter Canada without an immigration permit. She was granted an extension pending a further solution.

out that Dominion Fruit had obtained growers' fruit through the latter's subsidiary agents at less than the market price and several shipping companies gave cuts off the list price secretly and without the knowledge of the fruit board. He claimed that the large buyer on the prairies had destroyed the growers' agencies.

Referring to No. 9, Mr. Bird suggested that not necessarily Dominion Fruit alone "has operated, etc." but the entire combine setup.

"These defendants have forgotten the agency setup of the shippers entirely and the goods have been handled as if they were the goods of the shippers themselves. I suggest that even the bringing of these points before counsel indicates real intention to send the defendants to a higher court. There is no precedent for the 'merger' section of the charge which is a cogent argument why a higher court should decide the case."

"I would like to remind you of your duty to do so. If there is any reasonable doubt, then you must send them to a higher court."

He concluded by stating that this committee would be advisable in view of the interests of so large a number of persons in the Okanagan Valley.

When this short session concluded yesterday morning, there were many who felt that the magistrate would dismiss the case because of the many of the legal points, but this did not prove the case when the court reconvened at one o'clock on Wednesday afternoon.

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## RUTLAND SCOUTS HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

Badges and Awards Presented by Commissioner at Public Meeting—Officers Elected

The Rutland Boy Scouts annual public meeting was held in the community hall on Friday evening last, Feb. 2nd, with an attendance of over one hundred, exclusive of the 35 scouts and 25 Wolf Cubs attending. The Wolf Cubs held the spotlight for the opening part of the show when they demonstrated a couple of their "howls" and played a few interesting games. The Cub Pack, under the leadership of D. H. Campbell who is assisted by Miss M. Kidd, has increased very considerably in numbers.

The Scout troop, under Scoutmaster Gray then gave a demonstration of marching and followed this with a group of "Scout Law" plays. Next came an investiture ceremony, in which six new recruits were sworn in and made members of the world brotherhood of scouts.

District Commissioner E. C. Weddell, of Kelowna, presented second class badges to Scouts Harry Smith, John Ansell and M. Osell, and a first class badge to P. L. Dave Cumming of the Fox Patrol.

The showing of a number of reels of moving pictures by Bertram Chichester, all but one being made by Mr. Chichester with his own camera, was enjoyed. Some of the pictures were in color, and were very fine scenic films. The first showing was the Royal visit to Canada and the U.S.A. and proved very clear and entertaining. A group of films of a hunting trip by Mr. Chichester, the Rankins of Glenmore, and others to the Queen's Lake district followed and were much enjoyed. The final film showed scenes in the Belgo orchard district, and also some excellent shots of the recent "Patrol-Leader Conference at Rutland."

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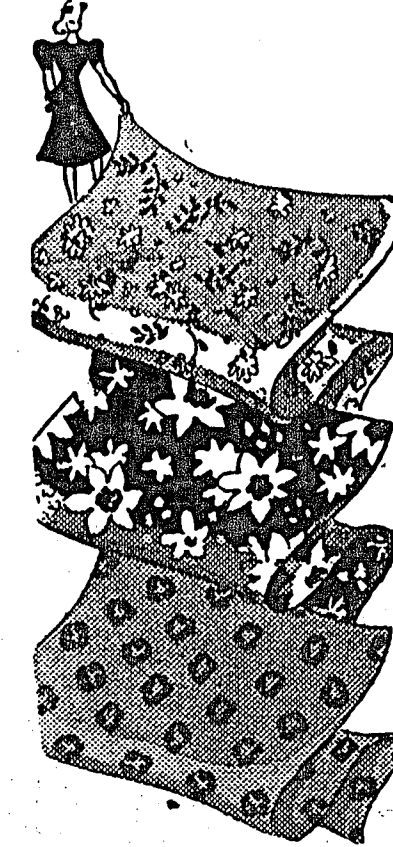
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2	29	22
3	29	24
4	28	25
5	38	34
6	34	31
7	40	33
Means	33.5	27.5

## WINCH MEETING

Owing to the space which had to be devoted to the combine and conspiracy charges this week, the report of Harold Winch's address to the big crowd in the L.O.O.F. Hall last week was unfortunately crowded out. A full report will be given next week.

According to Dr. Horton Casparis of Paris, sufferers from hay fever are seldom ill from other diseases.

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provincial relief of the provincial ridings of Grand Forks-Greenwood, Similkameen and South Okanagan but this was too unwieldy and later he has been in charge of the latter two ridings.

He was born in Winnipeg in 1895. His father, Sam Gray, moved to Calgary and in February of 1909, came to the Kelowna district where the family has resided for the thirty-one intervening years. His parents came to Canada from England in 1889.

During the Great War both father and son served overseas. A. W. Gray enlisted with the 172nd in 1916 and when this battalion was broken up he was transferred to the 54th where he served as a machine gunner. While he was being wounded he was gassed and spent some time in hospital convalescing.

He was educated in Calgary and Kelowna educational institutions. He has been intensely interested in young people's work and especially in boy scout work. He has been a member of the Rutland troop for twenty years and during that period has served as scoutmaster for eighteen years.

Being a Great War veteran, he is naturally a member of the Canadian Legion, an organization of which his father was one of the first presidents.

He has always been enthusiastically interested in sports of all kinds but his first love in this regard is baseball and for several years he has been manager of the Rutland team.

He is keenly interested in fruit problems and has been appointed a Rutland delegate to the B.C.F.G.A. convention many times. During the cent-a-pound-or-on-the-ground campaign he was a member of the campaign committee and in 1938-1939 he was chairman of the standard and contract committee which is freely credited with having built the groundwork for the present marketing setup.

He has always been a strong advocate of greater unity and the collective bargaining principle. He is a member of the United Church.

Politically he has leaned towards

some years up to 18 years ago, when he left for South Africa, later returning to Scotland, and will be well remembered by old timers of this district.

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## OYAMA

On Thursday, February 1, a dance was held in the Oyama Community Hall under the auspices of the local basketball club. The dance floor was not very crowded but the club cleared expenses by a wide margin. The music was supplied by Roy Endersby's Orchestra. After supper drawings were made for two bags each containing two dollars in silver which were won by Mrs. Rimmer and A. G. Smith. Roy and Bob Endersby took over control from their father and played one or two pieces which were much appreciated by the crowd.

A surprise party was held for Miss Ren Lovgren and Miss Beth Peters at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Hall on Thursday, February 1. After dinner the whole party went to the basketball dance. The two girls are both leaving to go into training as nurses. Miss Lovgren left on Friday, February 2, for the Kamloops Royal Inland Hospital. Miss Peters is leaving shortly for Victoria.

A Sunday School party was held at the home of Mr. Scott on February 2, for the older children. The Rev. C. S. Wright and Mrs. Norman helped entertain the boys and girls who greatly enjoyed the evening.

In a hockey match between the married men and the single men on February 2, the single men were victorious reversing the score made in the previous game. It was 5-4 and the closeness of the score well represented the keenness of the game.

A mixed class is being organized to take the St. John's Ambulance course in first aid under the direction of Dr. E. W. Frowse, D.C. Sp.C. of Vernon. Mrs. Norman Davies and Sergeant R. Peters will assist. The first lecture will commence on February 12, at 7:30 p.m., at the community hall.

Mrs. Potchary who is recovering from a slight operation in the Vernon Jubilee hospital, will soon be home again, it is expected.

The Liberal party and was vice-president of the South Okanagan Liberal association when Dr. Allan Harris, successfully contested the seat. At that time Mr. Gray was active in organizing Mr. Harris' campaign.

Next week will be the second occasion on which Mr. Gray has allowed his name to go before a nominating convention. In 1935 he allowed his name to stand but Mr. Oliver obtained the endorsement of the convention at that time.

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Over 300 hundred people attended the novelty dance which officially opened the East Kelowna Community hall last Friday night. The hall was decorated in green, yellow and white, with the waitresses wearing dainty green and yellow aprons and caps to carry out the color scheme.

Mr. T. Carter, in a short speech, thanked the members of the community for their volunteer work, and also the business men of Kelowna for their donations to the building.

After supper the lucky raffle tickets were drawn by Dorothy Tuck. A barrel of fun was won by Max Berard of South Kelowna, a ham by Harry Ward of South Kelowna, and boxes of chocolates by T. Pineau and J. Ferguson of East Kelowna.

The community is pleased to hear that Mrs. C. Tucker is home again, having been a patient in Kelowna general hospital for the past month.

Miss Edith Duquimen of Peachland, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. Barwick over the week-end.

Last Sunday, Mrs. F. Foot was welcomed by St. Mary's Sunday School, as a new teacher for one of the junior classes.

### LONG STANDING RESIDENT PASSES

Funeral of Miss H. K. A. Cou-brough Took Place on Wednesday

Miss Hannah Kate Agnes Cou-brough, eldest daughter of Mrs. Cou-brough, of Kelowna, and the late Alfred Park Cou-brough, passed away at her home on Sutherland avenue on Tuesday, February 6, after a lengthy illness which she had borne with great courage and cheerfulness.

A resident of Kelowna for the past twenty-five years, the late Miss Cou-brough had been actively engaged in church and hospital work and was a past president of the Altar Guild of St. Michael and All Angels Church. She was a hard worker for the Women's Hospital Auxiliary.

Besides her mother, she leaves a sister, Miss Daisy Cou-brough, who resides with her mother in Kelowna.

Funeral service was solemnized on Wednesday, February 7, at St. Michael and All Angels Church, Kelowna, at 2 o'clock with Rev. C. E. Davis officiating. The service was filled with the many friends of the deceased. The many beautiful flowers testified to the esteem and love in which she was held by her many friends in the district.

Funeral bearers were E. C. Weddell, Nigel Pooley, J. Treadgold, A. H. Povah, G. A. Fisher and H. J. Hewitson. Burial was in the Kelowna cemetery.

### 4 CUT MEANS

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upon his return to the Valley, but in explanation did say: "Last week low prices were named to Eastern Canada to promote movement of the lifting of the zoning regulations in anticipation of lower freight rates but this stipulation which has been made by the railways makes it impossible that we allow these low prices to remain in effect."

It is understood that the government is agreeable to continue the subsidization of export consignment shipments and thirty cars have already been released on this basis. However, the number of cars which may be shipped from the Okanagan is entirely contingent upon the inability of Nova Scotia to use its present quota.

There is apparently an unused export quota of some three hundred thousand boxes or four hundred cars available to Nova Scotia but it is not anticipated that that province can use its full allotment. In the event of some of this amount being released it is certain that B.C. will get a share. As has been stated, already thirty cars have been received on this basis.

Between January 29th and February 3rd, about seventy thousand boxes were shipped out of the Valley. 47,000 of these went to the prairies and about 23,000 went to the east. McIntosh and Rome formed the greatest part of the shipment, each having about 16,000 boxes.

The weather on the prairies has been ideal and shipments have been moving by train and truck to all prairie points.

The recent freezing temperatures in the southern States have resulted in the shortening of supplies of fresh vegetables and damage to the citrus fruit crop so that prices on most commodities have advanced considerably. This condition should be reflected shortly through increased demand for apples.

Although the fact that local crops are practically absorbed there should be an increase demand on the prairies for a good quality of onions during March and April. It is anticipated that the entire four week crop will see a rise in on-ion prices within a few weeks.

ly meeting at the home of Mrs. A. E. Harrison on Tuesday afternoon. The new president, Mrs. C. H. Bond was in the chair. Quite a volume of business was attended to. Mrs. S. Dudgeon was made honorary president in recognition of her work for the Guild. An afternoon tea will be held at Mrs. Dudgeon's home on March 7th in hopes of raising money to augment the Guild's funds. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Oslund.

In temperate climates the average day is coldest at about sunrise.

Magistrate McWilliams asked Mr. Norris to show the relevancy of the report he intended to read, and the latter replied that the Associated Grocers had decided to press for admission of Western Grocers documents, which were given by McGregor by Riley, on the basis that they had not been handed over on the basis of an order according to section 22

## 5 CONSPIRACY CHARGE

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had concluded his testimony, introduced the subject of admissibility of documents and outlined his arguments concerning the sections of the combined act.

Loopholes and possibilities in the interpretation of submission of documents were pointed out by the two defence counsels, Alfred Bull and T. G. Norris, K.C. the latter representing E. J. Chambers and Associated Growers. They strove to prove that even if documents had been submitted pursuant to oral requests that they should be considered as orders of the commissioner and be inadmissible.

This view was not accepted by the magistrate in view of the wording of section 22 (5).

Mr. Bull contended that if there had been no investigation by McGregor then these documents would never have been found and thus his clients were entitled to the protection of the court.

On Tuesday morning, Mr. Norris continued his argument that it was not necessary for the order to be in writing and that the subsection referred to was a mere formality.

The act clearly indicates the way in which orders are to be given by the commissioner," declared Magistrate McWilliams in giving his ruling, and to this decision he remained adamant throughout the rest of the preliminary hearing.

At another stage of the hearing, when Crown Counsel Bird produced letters sent from Staples and Chambers to Western Grocers-Dominion Fruit, T. G. Norris attempted to claim that these should not be admitted because copies were on file in the Associated Grocers office and had been produced pursuant to an order of the commissioner. Magistrate McWilliams ruled against this.

Throughout the hearing there was a terrific amount of legal technicality and objections and counter-objections were fired almost continuously. Tuesday morning when the act of the court was reached, it was found that it was impossible to have most of the documents admitted. Mr. Bird asked leave to consider the subject, but in the afternoon he was permitted to carry on and endeavor to file the rest of the evidence.

**Barrat First Witness**  
G. A. Barrat was the first witness and was identified as being a member of the B.C. Fruit Board since 1934. He stated that shippers, in the time mentioned in the informations, 1936 to 1938, had been required to file the copies of their invoices showing prices of fruit sold. But the board had no power to control price except for shipments made entirely in B.C. Allowances are part of the price as conceded.

Board regulations were designed to forego any need for quantity discounts, he stated. In 1935, immediately prior to the period under discussion, he stated that the documents had been submitted on an order of the commissioner.

Throughout the rest of the morning, Crown Counsel Bird failed to file any further documents, as it was proved that they had been produced under order. The first was a letter from the Dominion Fruit to the Associated Growers, to which a letter was brought forward by T. G. Norris purportedly coming from F. A. McGregor asking the Associated Grocers to hand over documents and correspondence from shippers, brokers, jobbers, B.C. Fruit Board and B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd. for the period stated.

Mr. Harman was asked if this Dominion Fruit letter and those contained in the small file produced were forwarded in pursuance of this letter from McGregor and the witness said: "I have no real doubt in mind." Forthwith, the letters were withdrawn, after K. Kinnard, Associated secretary-treasurer, identified the McGregor letter.

A second batch of letters were placed before Mr. Harman but they contained no identification marks of the combines commissioner's department. Mr. Kinnard, however, stated that these letters were in the files sent to McGregor in pursuance of the written order. Consequently, they were withdrawn.

Canceled and ledger sheets labelled quantity discounts, 1936, 1937, and 1938 were shown to Mr. Kinnard and he declared they were not sent to McGregor. Continued letters that year and in 1938 indicated that quantity discounts were still being paid.

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Reader was again recalled and a Lander Co. letter was produced. Mr. Bull asked for the right to show that it had been produced on order of the commissioner but to do this he had to call Robert Cheyne, who was not in Kelowna on Tuesday but was still in Vancouver where he went after being a witness in the combine case. However, Mr. Bull stated that Mr. Cheyne would be back in Kelowna Wednesday and he would then call upon him for his evidence.

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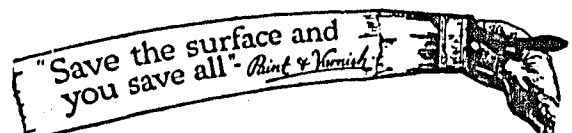
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His thought, generally, is inapproachable, since he has always carried his reason and emotions, almost to the point where nothing sane can rest.

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E. R. ELLIS-TUCKER.

## 2 COMBINE COMMITTAL

More About

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## A. BURDEKIN PEACHLAND RED CROSS PREXY

Returned at Annual Meeting Which Revealed Membership of 111—W.C.T.U. Medal Contest Arouses Interest

Committee members were thanked by President A. Burdekin for their help at the annual meeting of the Peachland Red Cross on Tuesday afternoon, January 30. There was a membership of 107 for 1939 with an additional four for 1940 to make a total of 111. The treasurer's report as given by Mrs. T. Twinnine showed a balance of \$284.34 with pledges of \$23 still to come.

Good progress had been made in the work room, according to Mrs. A. Smalls, convenor of the work committee. Many ladies had attended on Thursday afternoon to sew while some of the articles had been done at home. A parcel had been sent out for January which included the completed work of 43. There were 14 bed gowns, 14 Hampton pads, 54 pillow slips, 12 pneumon jackets, and three sweaters. The wool for 12 sweaters had been received late in the month, but no sock wool had yet been obtained. Mrs. Smalls stressed the importance of having as many as possible come out to help in the work on Thursday afternoon.

Home nursing classes were discussed and Mrs. G. Watt was appointed to look after the organization of such classes.

Officers were re-elected by acclamation as follows: President, A. Burdekin; vice-president, Mrs. V. Milner-Jones; secretary, C. C. Inglis; treasurer, Mrs. T. Twinnine; director of work committee, Mrs. A. Smalls; additional directors, Mrs. A. Wright, Mrs. G. Watt, Mrs. N. Davidson, Dr. W. Buchanan and B. F. Gummow.

Medal Contest

A medal contest sponsored by the W.C.T.U. and held in the United Church on Friday evening, February 2, was of much interest to the young contestants took their places in this yearly event. Mrs. E. H. Pierce, president of the local organization, presided over the gathering which was addressed briefly by the Rev. W. Dovey. Mr. Dovey led the devotional exercises and then gave an informal talk on the temperance work. A welcome song was given by Helen and Irene Sundstrom and Eileen and Ruth Wilson accompanied by Mrs. W. Wilson. The two Sundstrom sisters also sang a duet, "Little Sir Echo."

Seven children took part in a group recitation, and a school song "White Caps" was given, with Miss Morsh accompanying. Paxton Morsh gave several violin solos and was accompanied by Miss Morsh, and he was enthusiastically encored.

The junior bronze medal was won by Olive Shaw and the senior won by Martha Shaw with Dorothy Gaylor winning the senior award. No silver medal was given because there were not enough contestants, five being required and only four taking part.

Mrs. D. K. Penfold, Mrs. B. F. Gummow and Paxton Morsh acted Morsh acted as judges and the medals were presented by Miss A. E. Elliott, secretary of the W.C.T.U.

Sutherland-Cowdell

A quiet wedding was solemnized on Wednesday afternoon, January 28, when Constance Lovell Cowdell was united in marriage to Harold Sutherland with the Rev. J. Williams officiating. After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Sutherland left for a wedding trip to Spokane from which they returned on Saturday, February 3, to take up their residence here.

A. J. Chidley has been appointed enumerator for the Peachland district and is at work checking up the names on the voters' list in preparation for the election to be held March 26, the voting to take place here in the Municipal hall. Mr. Chidley will also be acting as officer with Mr. G. Bell as poll clerk.

High School Evening

The high school and staff are planning an evening of fun and entertainment for the entire day, February 29. Plans are being made for a variety program including solos, fashion and minstrel shows and a pro-re exhibition. Supper will be served after which a program of Scotch and other dances is planned and a good time is in store for all who attend. The proceeds of the evening will go to the school library.

A. Topham and C. Whinton arrived on Thursday, February 1, after a holiday spent at Winnipeg.

Miss M. Caldwell, of Summerland was a visitor at the home of Mr. Chidley, Mrs. C. C. Heighway during the week.

Kelowna. All of these documents were of a highly technical nature and were not given full explanation to the open court.

He stated to Mr. Bull that he had directed his examination to quantity discounts and claims. He had found no evidence in the files to criticize Lander in the settlement of claims, but in a number of cases the whole story was not in the file, he explained. "But there seems to be no justification for some claims. In my opinion the seller should have demanded re-inspection and not just have taken the jobber's word by letter."

The 1936 file is not complete, he claimed, but the other years give clearer pictures of the claims. He had spent considerable time in poring over the documents handed to him and had had two members of his staff working on the same business.

Evidence Admitted

Chief item of interest in Friday's proceedings, which ended at noon with the final submissions by the crown, was the announcement by Magistrate McWilliams that he was prepared to allow certain documents previously admitted only against Staples, to be admitted against all companies.

As this was only a preliminary hearing, the magistrate had decided that they should be allowed, even though a higher court might overrule this decision.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8th, 1940

### A New Dress For The Courier

With this issue, The Kelowna Courier adopts a new dress. Our readers will notice that the size of each page is slightly larger and that each page carries eight instead of seven columns of matter.

The change from seven to eight columns is but one step in the process of bringing this paper into the position of a modern newspaper. During the past two years a gradual change has been made until last week we were able to announce the inauguration of a new newspaper press which permits of a more readable and pleasing paper and at the same time is more economical of operation.

The change made this week was the next logical step in the process. Formerly The Courier has been issued as a seven-column paper, each column being thirteen ems wide. The accepted newspaper page size is eight columns, each column being twelve ems wide. In addition to being advisable as an economic measure, the change will make the paper easier to read as it is recognized that the twelve-em column is easier on the eye than the thirteen-em column. It is interesting to note that the new size will give thirty-six column inches more of reading matter on each page. To put it another way, a ten page paper of the new size will carry as much reading matter as a twelve page paper of the former size.

The new size of The Courier is but another physical manifestation that every effort is being made to place the paper in the very forefront of Canadian weekly newspapers that it may definitely reflect the community which it represents.

### \$1.10 For The Tourist's \$1.00

As in the case with other business men, hotel proprietors and managers in Canada realize the increasing importance of the tourist trade. The \$270,000,000 left in this country last year by visitors found its way into the people's various undertakings. Apart from his expenditures on transportation and accommodation, the tourist is a purchaser of many articles.

This business is worth cultivating. The tourist should be welcomed and well treated. Here the hotels and gas stations may do perhaps more than any other agency; and those who direct them are aware of their opportunity. Mr. Vernon C. Cardy of Montreal, prominent in the hotel business and Chairman of the executive of the Canadian Association of Tourist and Convention Bureaux, announced that, if they have at heart the welfare of the Dominion and its tourist industry, hotels, restaurants, merchants and business men throughout the country will accept United States currency and pay \$1.10 for every United States tourist's dollar presented.

Mr. Cardy also announces a publicity campaign in the way of "imprints" on printed matter entering the United States, stickers, special letters and newspaper advertisements indicating the advantage to tourists of the exchange situation. Prospective visitors to Canada will be informed about the \$1.10 for their \$1.00 and that they may take back any unspent money; that every ten days spent in Canada, they receive one day without charge. From the financial angle the prospect is encouraging; and there is the official assurance that, despite war conditions, tourists will not be subjected to annoying regulations.

The main thing is that there will be no difficulty about "selling" United States money at ten per cent profit. Hotels, gas stations and restaurants will be among the first contacts tourists will make with Canada, and Mr. Cardy's advice to their managers and Canadian business men generally, is timely and important.

### Wastepaper Basket Useful

Perhaps one of the reasons why editors age prematurely is the fact that, each week, they must struggle through reams of material sent in by kindly disposed people for publication in the newspaper. Unfortunately, most of this material is propaganda for some group or industry which thinks the public should be acquainted with facts about their business or organization at the newspaper's expense.

The Courier, like other weekly newspapers, is primarily interested in local news, and for that reason local news is always given preference over any other type of news. As far as this paper is concerned local news is so plentiful that it is but

seldom that we can use all of it that is available, let alone considering the propaganda received.

However, in case there is something which is of actual local interest in the large pile of material which descends upon us through the mails, it all must be sorted out and given careful scrutiny.

Most editors have untidy desks, and the major cause is this great mass of literature which he is asked to insert free of charge. It comes from every possible source, government, business, religious groups and even eccentrics. The last mail brought us several columns of material the experimental farms and department of agriculture would like us to publish, most of it of little interest to the Okanagan. Then there was material from several government departments, from two or three automobile manufacturers, from a couple of bond houses which never give us a dollar's worth of advertising, from the Red Cross Society, from the United Church publicity department, from the Christian Science publicity office, from the Foreign Exchange Control Board, from the Minister of National Defence, from the Department of Mines, from the Canadian Fire Underwriters Association, from the Canadian War Legion Services Inc., from Queen Alexandra Solarium for Crippled Children, from the Health League of Canada and from a dozen obscure sources.

That is just one mail's pile. Tomorrow there will be another mass, just as large and just as diversified. If we published all of it we would have to issue a twenty-four page paper every week, without any local news or advertising. As people buy The Courier for the local news and advertising, and as our bread and butter depends upon the volume of this advertising, we have to do just what we are going to do when we finish this editorial—consign most of this free publicity stuff to the editor's friend, the wastepaper basket.

### Canada 1940

The publication is announced by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics of the 1940 edition of the Official Handbook of "Canada".

Canada 1940 covers the present situation in the Dominion from Atlantic to Pacific, the weight of emphasis being placed on those aspects which are currently of most importance. All phases of the country's economic organization are dealt with and statistics are brought up to the latest possible moment. The text is accompanied by a wealth of illustrative matter which adds to the interest of the subjects treated. There are also two double-page and two triple-page inserts as well as frontis-piece matter in color dealing with the Royal Visit.

The Introduction is a short review of current developments at the close of 1939, with special reference to Canada's War Program as described by the Prime Minister in his recent addresses to the Canadian people over the air. The Special Article following this Introduction deals with the Western Oil Situation—Its Possibilities and Its Problems. Chapter 1 on the constitution and Government of Canada has been specially prepared for this edition from material supplied by the Department of External Affairs, Ottawa. The economic survey is covered in eighteen chapters dealing with population, production, internal and external trade, transportation, education, etc.

The price of the publication is 25 cents per copy, which charge covers merely the cost of paper and actual press work. A special price concession has been authorized in the case of teachers, bona fide students, and ministers of religion, since past experience has shown that considerable use has been made of this publication for educational purposes, and it is the policy of the Minister to encourage such use. To such individuals, therefore, the price is set at 10 cents for one copy. Postage stamps are not acceptable, and applications must be accompanied by a postal note or by the appropriate coin enclosed between two squares of thin cardboard gummed together at the edges. Applications should be addressed to the King's Printer, Government Printing Bureau, Ottawa, Canada, and, since the supply is strictly limited for both the 25-cent and 10-cent classes, early application is suggested.

### Face and Fill

Time works many changes. Hitler's shrieking is now considered "full of sound and fury, signifying nothing" and only rouses amusement.

Has the unusually mild weather during the past week been caused by all the "hot air" generated by the election?

It is true, as the Prime Minister says, that the right of no group to vote in the wartime election is so clear as that of the soldiers. At the same time no group will be in such a poor position to judge the issues as the Canadians now training in England.

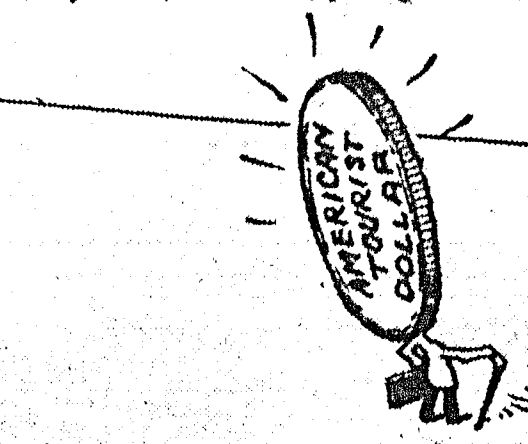
Gay movie stars who flashed their diamonds about the Chicago "Loop" should have known what to expect from the keen-eyed holdup fraternity. With \$30,000 worth gone, they know now.

To add to Hitler's embarrassments his two allies are continuing to insult each other daily.

Prof. Kasper J. Kramer Jr., chairman of the classic department of the New York University, reports the discovery of a divorce contract drawn up in Southern Palestine in 584 A.D., the agreement to disagree coming under the head of mother-in-law trouble. How long has this been going on?

## TERRITOPICS

**CANADIAN MERCHANTS CAN ENCOURAGE TOURIST TRADE BY ALLOWING DISCOUNT ON AMERICAN MONEY.**



## Kelowna In Bygone Days

(From the files of the Kelowna Courier)

### THIRTY YEARS AGO

Thursday, February 3, 1910

R. A. Copeland's rink won the finals of the first tournament yesterday, defeating S. T. Elliott's rink by 12 to 3. Members were: C. Newby, J. J. Campbell, W. Glen and R. A. Copeland, skip. G. Dickson, G. C. Rose, H. Johnston and S. T. Elliott, skip.

Yesterday morning, shortly after 11 o'clock the fire brigade responded smartly to the whistle, but hardly had they appeared on the street dragging the hose-reel than they found the chimney blaze at Lawson's had been extinguished.

Rev. S. J. Thompson has organized a local council of the Royal Temperance Society.

Total value of buildings erected during 1909 has been estimated at \$105,525.

All employees of the water and light department have received one month's notice from the city council, with the proviso that they may be re-engaged. The move is one intended for economy, Alderman Leckie stated. Salaries at the power-house worked out to 60 per cent of the revenue, while in Vernon the figure was only twenty per cent.

### TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Thursday, February 11, 1915

Cargo of the American food ship "Wilhelmina" is being seized following the arrival of the boat at Falmouth in a badly crippled condition because of storm damage. The ship will be allowed to proceed without cargo. Capt. Brewer said it was the roughest weather experienced in twenty-five years. An order has been issued from Berlin to invade Roumania before her mobilization is complete. The German army is now on the border of the country. At Manonville a German attack has been beaten back and the Germans pursued by French Hussars. The Germans also made an unsuccessful attack on the fortifications of Marie Therese. In the region

of Cagney French aviators destroyed a signal balloon. Pilot R. H. Hiden has been brought down near Verdun. He is the German pilot who last September threw bombs on Paris and dropped proclamations advising the Parisians to surrender. Unlimited supplies for an army of 3,000,000 have been voted by the House of Commons in London. The three Scandinavian kingdoms will hold another conference to discuss floating mines. Germany's declaration that the whole sea around the British Isles is a war zone and the British views on the use of neutral flags. German and Austrian banks are preparing to loan Bulgaria \$30,000,000.

A fierce attack on the work of the provincial government featured the political address of Honest John Oliver to a large gathering on Tuesday afternoon.

A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hooper, of Armstrong on Thursday evening, February 4, when their youngest daughter, Florence Essex and Alex James Smith, of Kelowna, were united in marriage by Rev. Howard J. King.

### TWENTY YEARS AGO

Thursday, February 12, 1920

John A. Mara, M.P. for Yale from 1886 to 1896 died in Victoria this week.

Boards of trade of British Columbia are planning a provincial convention in Vancouver.

R. H. Brown was elected president of the local division of the B.C. Honey Producers Association at its inaugural meeting. H. B. D. Lyons is vice-president and R. T. Dunn secretary-treasurer.

Some four hundred veterans attended the reunion at Kamloops of the 172nd Battalion on Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

The casting vote of the president carried a motion at a meeting of the Women's Institute that the provincial government be petitioned for province-wide daylight saving.

## Inside Germany » » »

Seven Lean Years Have Left the Country's Cupboards Almost as Bare as Mother Hubbard's. Already a Long Way on Road to Inflation.



Willson Woodside

The Nazis are amusing themselves these days broadcasting to the world that Canada is having an election on whether to stay in the war, that South Africa is on the verge of leaving the Empire, that India is seething with discontent, and England itself overrun with Irish revolutionary bombers. The Empire, in fact, is on the verge of breaking up—just as it was at the beginning of the last war.

Supposing we in our turn take a look inside Germany—but on the condition that if I find some serious difficulties there you won't immediately jump to the conclusion that she is on her last legs. She isn't. She can't put up a terrific scrap, just as she could by the Spring of '18. But symptoms of her final collapse are also just as evident as they were by early 1918, or certainly mid-1917.

We have examined in other articles of this series Germany's supplies of iron, oil and other vital raw materials of war. There is another war material—Dr. Schacht once said that it was the most important of all—which we didn't mention. That is money. Germany's monetary situation is badly deteriorated. Since the war began all silver and nickel coins have had to be called in. Paper notes have been given out for the former, the quarters, half dollars and dollars, and aluminum coins for the dimes. Now there is no feel, no weight, no intrinsic value to an aluminum coin, and Germans, with the experience of the awful inflation of 1923 behind them, can't feel any better about the paper. I wonder if you can form any idea of the terror of an uncontrolled inflation, in which the bottom just drops out of everything that was solid before?

Before the last war a German mark was equal to an English shilling, or almost twenty cents. By the end of the last few months of the war its value hadn't been shaken. Germany still held half a billion dollars worth of gold in her Treasury and still had credit with the neutrals. After the Armistice the mark began to slip and in 1923 the German Government, to defeat the Reparations and the French occupation of the Ruhr, pulled the pins out entirely. By the fall of that year you could buy four billion marks with an American dollar. Every day the old banknotes were printed over with a bigger face value. Every day the workmen were paid with this new paper money and ran home to buy what they could with it while it still had some value, for the next day it was worthless. It was a nightmare for all, except for those who owed a lot of money and were able to pay off debts of thousands with a few pennies and a grin. For the little people who had scraped together a savings account, who had an insurance policy, a little mortgage or a few government war bonds, it was ruin. They still got the same number of marks in interest, but now these weren't worth enough to buy a grain of rice. People still shudder in Germany when they think of those terrible times. I can tell you, and the Nazis have always avoided the word "inflation" as they would the plague.

Hitler's Germany is, however, a long, long way on the road to inflation. There has been no accounting given of the national finances since the Nazis came to power seven years ago. Not until the opening day of the war was there any admission of the colossal sums poured into armaments; aeroplanes, cannon, uniforms, tanks, trucks, all the great factories for the making of these and the wages of the millions of workers engaged, the great Western fortresses and the wonderful new Roman roads. Ninety billion marks, Hitler boasted, have gone into this greatest spree in history. This is almost as much as the cost of the last war to Germany, or over half of the U.S. national debt, big enough to cause that rich country to worry.

Financially, Germany has fought her war already. The Nazis have used up all her gold reserve, as well as the gold which they were quick to get their hands on in Austria and Czechoslovakia. They have plundered the

Jews. They have called in all the foreign stocks and bank accounts of German citizens. They have cleaned out all available funds in the banks, the savings banks and the insurance companies. They have quietly robbed the old age pension fund of eight billion marks. They have cleaned out the unemployment insurance fund and continue to take a heavy deduction from the pay envelopes of the workers, although unemployment has long ago ceased to exist. They have run up debts for deliveries of raw materials with the Bank of America, small countries of Europe until they haven't a shred of credit left with these. They have doubled the note circulation of Germany. While waiting to get hold of the Czech funds last winter they financed for awhile on simple I.O.U.'s. Finally, last summer they brought out a new kind of paper promise, which they dignify with the name of "tax certificate", and which they use to pay 40 per cent of the Government's bills. The private businesses which receive these may in turn use them to pay 40 per cent of their bills. This has begun an inflation which a German economist writing in the Toronto Saturday Night predicts "will make the impoverishment of the 1923 inflation seem to the German people like a lost paradise."

The German population, as well as the German finances, have fought a considerable war already. They have experienced all the restrictions, censorship, nervous tension, spy-hunting, food and clothing shortages, and forced saving which we associate with wartime. For years farmers have been unable to sell their own eggs or hogs where they wanted and city folk have been on butter, fat and cream rations. The day the war began (to be exact, the day before) food cards appeared reducing the formerly insufficient rations about 30 per cent all around. They have been twice slightly reduced since. That doesn't mean that the Germans are starving, however. Many millions are still getting more to eat than they did during the Depression of 1931-32-33, and all are faring much better than in 1918. But they are hungry. And the worst time of the year is yet to come, before gardens grow again and the harvest fills the granaries.

To make it worse, they are cold as well. On the one hand the roaring armament industries, the busy railroads and the artificial processes for making gasoline are hogging the coal, and tired and underfed miners can't be pushed any harder. On the other hand wool is one of the scarcest of all materials in Germany. The country's cupboards, which were filled to bursting in 1914, have been emptied in the seven lean years of Hitlerism until they are as bare as Mother Hubbard's. Imitation clothing made of a mixture of cotton, wool-waste and "wood-wool" has been on the market for a couple of years, but to buy one of these you now have to rummage in your old suit, skirt or overcoat, which people are loath to do as, though worn out, it may be of far better cloth. There is a story of a couple sitting quietly at home of an evening being disturbed by a slight scratching noise. "What's that?" the wife asks. "Oh, nothing. It's just the wood-worms boring in my new overcoat." The clothing situation, the New York Times correspondent writes from Berlin, promises to be far worse than the food situation.

Does this mean that the German people are on the verge of revolt? Certainly they are not happy. There is plenty of grumbling. But it is a long way from grumbling to revolt in Germany. Goering said in a broadcast: "The foreign press says that people in Germany are grumbling. So they are. Let 'em grumble, as long as they do what I tell them." That was in 1937. The Germans are a docile people. They are not citizens as we understand the word, but soldiers in civilian life as well as at the front. They carry out orders, as long as they come from the "authorities", and are all properly legalized and numbered. (Although it is true that last fall the workers refused to do overtime without pay, and the Nazis have had to rescind this decree). Their spirit may not be as confident or united as in 1914, but it would be unsafe to reckon that it is worse than in 1918. And there may be some who remember that Germany put up an effort even then that came uncomfortably close to winning the war. Until she has been defeated in the field, she will remain a dangerous enemy.

## r.p.m.'s column

CHURCH LEADERS in Ontario recently asked the provincial government to make provision for civil marriages in Ontario. It would seem they are on sound ground. Attorney General Nixon is reported to have replied that ministers who refuse to marry Communists are intolerant and his attitude shows a curious lack of understanding on his part. It does seem rather absurd to ask a minister of any church to carry with religious ceremony men and women to whom religion is anathema. After all, why should it be expected that a representative of Christ should join together in holy matrimony reprobates whose past life has given the lie to everything that is holy and decent? And why should people who do not believe in the teachings of religion be required to go through what to them is a mock ceremony, simply that they may take a mate? Surely clergymen whose calling is to proclaim the gospel of Christ should not be asked to take part in ceremonies which unite in marriage people who scorn all that for which the church stands. And by the same token it should not be required of unbelievers that they should take vows in the name of a God which they refuse to admit.

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THE CASE IS WELL PUT by Dr. C. E. Silcox, general secretary of the Canadian Social Council. . . . "The church is always ready to invoke the Divine blessing on any person, but that they should be asked to give the sanction of religion to a union that is based on the repudiation of religion is slightly irrational. And why should anti-religious Communists be limited in their choice of being married by a religious officer, going out of the province to be married, or simply 'living in sin'? . . . Civil marriage is provided for, not only in England, the United States and four Canadian provinces, but in practically every Latin and every Roman Catholic country in the world. In Latin countries the legal marriage is the civil marriage. The Canadian churches in Ontario are not asking for compulsory civil marriages. They are perfectly willing that the clergy should act in their dual capacity as civil and ecclesiastical officials whenever couples wish to be married by a religious ceremony. They are simply asking some provision be made for marriage of those couples who do not wish the sanction of religion, or who do not seem to conform to the teaching of the Church in respect to marriage." . . . So says Dr. Silcox. There is the suggestion that the repetition of the wedding vows couched in religious language will impress upon those taking them the sanctity of the marriage relationship but this is only true of those people to whom religion has some meaning. To professed atheists vows based on a belief in God and His moral laws have no meaning. To force them to take them in order to be respectably married is sheer mockery of religion and hypocrisy on their part.

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CLOCKS CAN BE MOST annoying things in the middle of the night. People often complain of sleepless nights and say they heard the clock strike "every hour". The voice of the clock may not be a pleasant sound when one wants to be oblivious to it in sleep. Still, those voices may start thoughts which will help calm restless minds. . . . There is, for instance, that old clock in my home which with its sharp staccato strikes conveys the message that one had better go to sleep as another day of work is rapidly approaching. And there used to be the grandfather's clock, tall dignified sentinel of the stairway, which ticked out the minutes in its unhurried way. Its slow strike was a suggestion that life should not be taken too impatiently, that there is plenty of time for everything, and that man should live out his life with less hurry and scurry. An opposite point of view is suggested by the old kitchen clock in many homes which has a quick and tingling strike. As denizens of the working kitchen, its fast strike seemed to suggest that there is a lot of work to be done, and it were better to be up and at it. Then there is the light and silvery tones affected by many clocks, which seems to suggest that life is full of pleasant beauty, full of charm and music, for those who look for that side of existence. And the deep, bell-toned effect which seems to suggest the richness of experience, and how folks can find the deeper happiness by seeking the higher values of life. Some clocks, like some people, are always ahead of time. No lagging by the way for these fast and active tickers. And there are some that lag behind and are always hurrying in vain to keep up with the rest while still more slowly tick on at their own speed, caring little how far behind the pack they are and, like their human prototypes, how much inconvenience they cause others. . . . So clocks seem to be like people, grave and gay, fast and slow. Perhaps those who reflect how much they seem like human beings, and how they keep ticking away with tireless energy for a century, may forget their troubles and go to sleep. . . . Ho, hum! It is time for sleep.

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I RAN ACROSS A LITTLE poem the other day which brought back pleasant memories of a friend with whom I have spent several week-ends at her cottage in the Laurentians north of Montreal. "The little poem is that one by Rose Heaton entitled, "The Perfect Guest." It reminded me of my friend for it hung in every guest room in her cottage. And beside it, cheek by jowl, was another on the perfect hostess. There was also a brief memorandum of the schedule of life at the cottage. It was a marvellous arrangement and one which I have often thought should be adopted more generally. It makes things more pleasant and easier to have some idea of the workings of the household in which you are a guest. There were usually several week-end guests at that cottage and I imagine that little thoughtfulness on the part of the hostess saved many embarrassing moments. . . . There are many questions which we as guests may ask ourselves but it seems to me the ten commandments for the perfect guest would run something like this: 1—Thou shalt put into thy bag all thou shalt need and no more. 2—Thou shalt go over in thy mind promised entertainment—the Saturday hike, the Sunday afternoon tea, and make certain thou hast what is needed so far as thy wardrobe can supply it, not forgetting toilet articles; 3—Thou shalt meet thy hostess' family with a word of appreciation for the invitation, and fitly quote into the family circle; 4—Thou shalt inquire the breakfast hour lest thou cause another to be set. Thou shalt say "Good Morning" to all the household; 5—Thou shalt fall in readily with all plans made for thine entertainment, showing real enthusiasm whenever possible; 6—Honor the rights of thy hostess' father and mother and monopolize the family bathroom as little as possible; 7—Thou shalt not be late for any meal nor for any appointment; 8—Thou shalt not complain of the heat, the cold, or any other discomfort that cannot be overcome; 9—Thou shalt not expect another to care for thy bed-chamber unless there be more than one maid-servant; 10—Thou shalt not pretend to be other than thou art, but shall be simple and natural at all times; 11—Thou shalt

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## BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE GATHER FOR CONVENTION

Members from Many Valley Points Hold Annual Session and Elect Officers

Members of the Baptist Young People's Societies throughout the Okanagan Valley converged on the 1st Baptist Church and the Orange Hall in Kelowna on Thursday, February 1st, for a time of fellowship and good-will from Bethel Baptist and German Baptist churches in Kelowna, young people turned out en masse to strengthen the feeling of consolidation which was prevalent throughout the afternoon and evening.

Rev. J. B. McDormand, organizer and head of the B.Y.P.U. and Sunday School activities for Western Canada; Rev. Farholme, of Kelowna; Rev. T. Harris, of Kelowna; and Mrs. Crombie of the German Baptist, were all in attendance and aided the young people in their very successful Rally Day.

Speaking on "Loyalty to Christ", Rev. J. B. McDormand gave a convincing address warning the representatives against the danger of external forces desiring the disintegration of Christian love and devotion to Christ.

**Hold Supper**  
After the official opening of the rally at the Church at 2:30 p.m., and interesting and instructive talks by Rev. J. C. McDormand and Rev. T. Harris, supper was served at the Orange Hall, at 6:15 to the vanguard of the Young People. The hymn "Be present at our table Lord" was sung as some 110 young people bent their heads in reverence. At the table, talks by the presidents of the many societies represented—Roy Wellwood, Summerland; Ray Harrington, Peachland; Leslie Best, Vernon; Don Reed, of Bethel Baptist, and Miss Evelyn Thomas, of Penticton—enlightened the congregation on the activities of each separate organization.

Fin Clement, president of the Kelowna First Baptists extended greetings to all the societies and expressed his pleasure on the excellence of the turnout, and his regret over the absence of the popular Rev. F. W. Pattison. He also discussed the work of the Kelowna B.Y.P.U., mentioning that eight new members had been added to his society since the New Year.

Other interesting talks given at the supper were those of Ben Pekrul, president of the Okanagan Valley Union of B.Y.P.U. societies; Mr. T. Harris and Rev. Farholme, of Penticton who moved a vote of thanks to the ladies of the church for the splendid supper.

Commencing at 7:45, a stream of young people poured into the Church for the main period of worship and instruction of the day. The roll call was responded to by the separate delegations through a variety of words of Scripture and variety of striking choruses. In the following period of worship led by the Kelowna First Baptists, a poem recited by Lily Newton and a fine rendition on the violin of "Largo" by Ildon Sauters attracted special notice.

**Inspiring Talks**  
The spirit of competition was introduced by a Bible contest in which both the reading and explanation of scripture were taken into consideration. Although all contestants read and expounded well, Harriet Cowan and Evelyn Thomas, of Penticton, took the laurels as the best team. Perhaps the most inspired talk of the evening was that given by Magdelene Pachold, of the German Baptist Church team, who fluently and sincerely revealed Christ as Saviour of mankind unto an attentive audience.

Following Rev. McDormand's forceful address, Ben Pekrul, as retiring president of the Okanagan Union, led in the installation of the new officers: President, Ray Harrington, of Peachland; vice-president, Ray Wellwood, Summerland; secretary, Ella McKenzie, Summerland; Mrs. Pattison led in the dedication of the new officers for the ensuing year.

The rally day of the Baptist Young People's was closed by the benediction of Rev. Ivor Bennett.

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## IN OUR Spotlight

George Stewart Sutherland

The older young man was chosen chairman of the retail merchants bureau of the Kelowna Board of Trade at its recent annual meeting when George Stewart Sutherland was chosen to replace Donald Whitham, who had proved an energetic leader during 1939. The present incumbent has evinced a decided interest in the workings of the bureau as he has led the bakery division for four of the past five years. It was the unanimous choice of the annual meeting and is being looked upon to guide the destinies of the retail merchants on another progressive campaign in 1940.

When we say that George Stewart Sutherland is a young man, he is just that for he is in his 36th year, having first observed the light of day in Calgary, on March 10, 1904. The older winters were not to his liking, however, and he immediately acquired when his parents, the late John Sutherland and Mrs. Sutherland, decided to move to Kelowna in 1909.

The merchants' chairman comes from a well-known and respected Scottish family, as Mr. and Mrs. Sutherland were pioneers in the bakery business in Kelowna, having commenced their business in 1908. Sutherland's Bakery has been well known throughout the Okanagan for more than thirty years.

After tasting the discipline of Kelowna schools for a good many years George Sutherland decided to launch forth into the cold hard world on his own and took a job with the K.L.O. Orchard in 1910. This company was managed by H. C. S. Collett and the property is now known as the Keloka Orchards.

For a year George went back to the prairies to see if the winters were any better, and drove truck for a freight line there. He tells an amusing story of obtaining his job in Saskatchewan. He walked into a government employment agency saw that truck drivers were wanted for \$7 per day.

"What does a day consist of here?" innocently enquired our hero.

The government clerk looked up in disdain and after a pause enquired: "Say, where do you come from, anyway?"

"From British Columbia," came the meek reply.

"Well, I don't know how long the days last out there but when we say a day here it means twenty-four hours," while fifteen interested hangers-on chortled in their beads.

George evidently didn't like the prairies any better than when he was a wee lad, for he returned at Christmas time in 1921 and in 1922 worked for the Black Mountain Irrigation District. In 1922, he entered his father's employ and was truck driver for Sutherland's Bakery until four years ago, when he entered the store, and assumed partial management. George and his mother are in charge of the management of this flourishing business at the present time.

During the past few years, George Sutherland has become interested in a number of organizations in Kelowna. He joined the Kelowna Volunteer Fire Brigade in 1929 and is still a member, having been lieutenant for two years. He is a member of the Kelowna Junior Board of Trade and of the Kelowna Board of Trade, through the retail merchants bureau. He has been on the executive of the bureau for four of the last five years.

In 1929 he was elected president of the Kelowna Baseball Club and for two years prior to the present season was a member of the executive of the Kelowna Basketball Club.

The only fraternal order to which George Sutherland belongs is the Kelowna City Lodge No. 59, I.O.O.F. He is a past noble grand of that lodge. He is also a member of the



Kelowna Club.

Although George Sutherland has always been intensely interested in sports he has never entered into competition in many branches. His main delight, however, is curling and during the long winter evenings whenever the Okanagan countryside descends to provide some ice, you can lay a bet that George is up at the Bankhead curling rink.

Don't tell anybody, but George is planning on attending the annual bonspiel in Vancouver this month.

It was in October, 1923, that George Sutherland married Marjorie Landsdowne, in Kelowna and four children have been born to them. They are Douglas, Robert, Stewart and Jean.

Although he comes of true Scottish parents, George Sutherland is far from the tight-lipped Scotsman of fiction. He is generous in his dealings although his naturally canny instinct keeps him from being played for a "sucker."

George is a likeable character, and has a wide range of acquaintances and friends, not only in the Okanagan but at the coast and on the prairies. They will be looking to him to provide the guiding spirit of the retail merchants bureau in 1940.

## WINFIELD

During the past week, Miss Millie Strong has been visiting with her relatives and friends in this district.

Geo. Arnold recently left for Osoyoos, where he has taken employment in the store business run by our old time friend Ted Wincombe.

A business visitor to the district during the past week was F. C. Browne, of Vancouver, who was up looking over his dairy interests.

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NATIONAL APPEAL, FEBRUARY 12th

## BIG BEND APPROACH IMPROVED

Crew of Men and Equipment Working on Golden-Leach Approach to Big Bend Highway

The mild winter, together with permission to use provincial government road equipment, has enabled the federal department of mines and resources to extend its program of improvements to the Leach-Golden section of the Trans-Canada road far beyond what had been projected.

The Leach-Golden road has been unfavorably known as "the bottleneck to the Big Bend" and Trans-Canada highway and tourist trade enthusiasts long have feared that if the Leach-Golden road were not improved before the Big Bend Highway was opened to traffic, the tourist trade over the Big Bend might be reduced to a mere trickle.

Late last fall the federal authorities announced some improvement work would be undertaken and would continue so long as the season remained favorable. The continuance of the open winter, together with the provincial government's decision to make available to the federal crews such provincial machinery as may be required, may mean a considerable improvement to the road before the Big Bend Highway is opened to traffic.

ment to the road before the Big Bend Highway is opened to traffic. A crew of about 25 men using two compressors are at present employed under E. J. Garrett, engineer of the Dominion Department of Mines and Resources, in improving the Leach-Golden section of the Trans-Canada road. It is expected the crew will be in the field about February 1st. So far as can be learned, the work will be continued for at least two months, and will be speeded exceptionally light.

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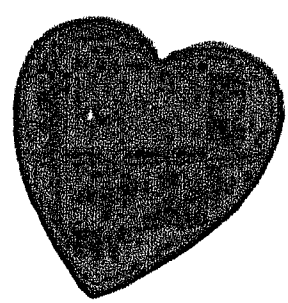
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ST. VALENTINE'S DAY

Especially for Valentine Teas and Bridges, we have a lovely assortment of Valentine Candles—Creams, Jellies and Flaming Hearts. For special Valentine packages, we suggest GANONG'S FAMOUS CHOCOLATES in smart Valentine packages.

P.S.—FOR MEN ONLY—Valentine's is this coming Wednesday—the 14th—and it would be mighty thoughtful to remember "The Little Woman," with some Chocolates. Incidentally, we have a nice assortment of Ganong's—"The Finest in the Land"—in special Valentine wrap; from

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### SPECIALS FOR WEEK—FEB. 8 TO 14

#### Apple Juice

APPLE JUICE: "SunType" — local, pure, clear, refreshing; 10-oz. tins 3 for 25c 25-oz. tins 15c

CHOCOLATE ECLAIRS: finest quality, just fresh in, include a pound with your order —Special, per lb. 28c

SUCCOTASH: Aylmer's, choice quality—makes a 1 lb. nice change 2 17c

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CLOVER LEAF QUALITY FISH Fancy Red Co. hoo Salmon 1 lb. tins 2 for 55c

CLAMS Whole, 2 - 35c Chopped 2 - 27c

BURNS' SAUSAGE: pure pork, they're delicious and handy for a quick meal; 2 49c

NABOB APRICOTS: finest quality, heavy syrup, large tins 2 57c

TOILET SOAP: "Many Flowers" lovely cold cream complexion soap 4 19c

RED ARROW SODAS: Toasted, crisp and fresh, 6-oz. pkg. 2 23c

2 LIFEBOUYS 9c

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## McKenzie's Grocery

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## LIBERAL MEETING

A Meeting of Kelowna and District Liberals will be held on

MONDAY NEXT, FEB. 12

at 8 p.m. in the

BOARD OF TRADE ROOMS—KELOWNA

BUSINESS:—

Election of Delegates to attend Yale Liberal Convention at Penticton on February 14th.

Important that all Liberals attend.

(Signed),

A. W. HAMILTON, President.

## BEGINNERS WILL BE ON PROGRAM

This evening, at the school auditorium, music lovers will be privileged to hear the Kelowna Boys' Band in one of the few winter concerts staged by this ambitious young group. One of the features of this evening's program will be two

numbers featuring eighteen beginners. Of this eighteen, ten members are girls. They will also play the band at the conclusion of the program.

Victoria's sea serpent has aged 20 years in the last four. He has even grown whiskers. Cecil Burgess and Norman Ingram said that they had seen the serpent of Rocky Point evening's program will be two near Victoria, B.C. "He was only

## BOXERS BEING DEVELOPED BY PRO-REC HERE

Plan to Stage Boxing and Wrestling Show Soon—Interior Gymnastic Display will be Held in Kelowna

Once again British Columbia has produced a champion in the form of the battling Kenny Lindsay of Vancouver, which brings up the subject of boxing. For the past few months the Pro-Rec's at the Gyro centre have been busy training with the mitts and the grunt and groan game. The boys are now set to tackle the Kamloops squad which they hope to do on February 22.

Kamloops is sending two boxers to exchange counters with Don Campbell and Pete Switlicky. Added to the card will be a lightweight import for the wrestling end and Kelowna's Ed Williams will be seen in action. Two good preliminaries have also been arranged. The Pro-Rec's hope to put on a good card, and with material coming up, Kelowna fans will have some potential championship material to shout for.

In a little over a month, final displays in the Valley will start their circuit. On March 8, the interior gymnastic competition will be held at the gymnasium. The competition will be held in Kelowna and will include teams from the nine centres in the Valley. At stake there will be team and individual medals and the Gyro trophy.

Final displays this year will feature special numbers from visiting centres. This will give variety to the program, and display talent throughout the Valley. Kelowna's final display date is set for March 21st, Westbank March 13th, Okanagan Mission March 19th, and East Kelowna March 15th.

## SPINSTERS' BALL PLANS MADE BY YOUNG WOMEN

Ninety Attend Guest Night of Kelowna Young Women's Club

Nearly ninety guests and members of the Kelowna Young Women's Club attended the organization's annual guest night on Monday evening at the Royal Anne hotel. Mrs. Doug Disney led the community singing with Mrs. Kay McKergow at the piano.

The president welcomed the guests and for their benefit gave a brief resume of the club's activities and aims.

Following a discussion of plans for the Spinsters' Ball, the following conveners were appointed: decorations, Mrs. C. E. Friend; programs, Mrs. Kay McKergow; advertising, Miss Doris Leathley; ticket sales, Mrs. Francis Buck and Miss Edna Wall.

A novel idea for the dance this year will be the selling of leis in place of the usual boutonniere for the men. These will be sold at the dance.

Miss Dorothy McKenzie reported that 14 pairs of glasses have been purchased for underprivileged school children since Christmas. An amusing program arranged by Miss Jennie Anderson, Miss Meg Gore and Mrs. C. E. Friend was greatly enjoyed by the guests.

The Misses Melba and Ruth Kennedy gave several graceful Hawaiian dances and a skit "Snowdrop and the Seven Dwarfs" kept the audience greatly amused. The cast included Miss Mable Pardlow, the queen; Miss Joan List, Hubert; Miss Grace Cornell, Snowdrop; Mrs. C. E. Friend, the prince and the seven dwarfs; Mrs. Len Hill, Mrs. Wilson McGill, Mrs. Jim Douglas, Miss Vivienne McCall, Miss Kay Hill, Miss Meg Gore and Miss Joan List. The raffle winner for the evening was Miss J. List.

forty feet away," Burgess said. "His head resembled a cross between that of a walrus and a camel. He had long—very long whiskers."

## Locals Slip as Armstrong Presses League Leaders

Legionnaires Trounce Vernon Seven to One—Now Lead Locals by Five Points

Three wins in the past week have put Armstrong into undisputed possession of second place in the North Okanagan hockey league, and the Legionnaires are fast climbing on the league ladder. Vernon Eagles, Kelowna was five points behind Armstrong up to Tuesday evening and Salmon Arm was still in the bottom of the heap with only two wins and four draws.

Only three points separated Armstrong and Vernon in the final drive before last night's game, and the Vernon lead once thought unconquerable, is slipping fast.

Kelowna, minus two players, through injuries, could only play to a 2-1 overtime draw against Salmon Arm Friday night.

Previously, Kelowna defeated Vernon at the civic arena by a 3-2 count on Wednesday, January 31. In the opening period, on assists from Gourelle to put Kelowna ahead 2-0. Hanson, assist from Anderson scored the single goal in the second period. Five minutes later Salmon Arm went into the lead with Parritt scoring on an assist from Scott.

A repetition of the fracas between Boyd Clarke, Salmon Arm, playing manager and Bruce Paige, Kelowna forward, which occurred on the last occasion Salmon Arm played here, occurred midway through the second period.

Clarke again used his stick on Paige as the latter scrambled for the puck. Down went sticks and fists working fast. The argument continued several minutes as Kelowna players endeavored to keep Paige from making a further attack on the northern pilot, who is the subject of much animosity throughout the league.

The final result was five minutes in the cooler for Clarke and Paige also being benched for two minutes. No score could be made despite the handicaps but less than three minutes later, as Kelowna players endeavored to keep Paige from making a further attack on the northern pilot, who is the subject of much animosity throughout the league.

The balance sheet showed a balance of \$24.71 and there is also a separate fund of \$20.64 for welfare work, the latter being part of the proceeds of the fall jumble sale \$125, as usual, had been paid to the church committee for the bloc assessment.

Rev. C. E. Davis promised to bring the Nativity play to Okanagan Mission on February 16th and various suggestions for the coming year were discussed, but a further meeting was considered necessary before these could be adopted. Among them are plans for some voluntary work on the church grounds and the possibility of a special party for children in the summer. Mrs. Collett also mentioned that the Okanagan Mission ward in the hospital which is surviving the reconstruction, needs renovation such as curtains, linen etc.

Several pairs of shoes for children attending school had been provided recently from welfare funds, and socks knitted last spring have also been distributed.

A vote of thanks was given to Mrs. B. T. Haverfield for her work in support of the Guild, coupled with requests that she should be unable to attend the meeting.

W. A. Hobson recently passed his senior exams in the Canadian Institute of chartered accountants.

Evelyn Campbell is a patient in Kelowna hospital present with mastoid. We hope she will soon recover from her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kuipers returned on January 29th, from Vancouver where they spent several days as guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Otmarr.

Mr. Kenneth Young has purchased

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Without the love of books the richest man is poor; but endowed with this treasure of treasures, the poorest man is rich.

A. M. Hills invented the lawnmower in 1868.

Several entries have been received for the local American tournament to be held tonight; an event which promises to be both interesting and a close contest.

A committee meeting took place on Monday night and plans were prepared for the coming Central B. C. tournament, to be held on February 22nd, 23rd and 24th.

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## BIBLICAL TERM WAS HELPFUL TO HOMELESS WAIF

Miss Jean Burt Tells Y.P.S. of United Church Story of Lad Who Was Befriended

How a poor, homeless, small Dublin boy influenced the life of several adults was told by Miss Jean Burt to the Young People's Society of the United Church Sunday evening, February 4.

This Irish waif was ordered by a gang of thieves to help them in a robbery and while standing at the street corner waiting for the hoodlums, a kindly person on finding the lad was homeless told him to go to a certain building where he would be admitted on saying "John 3: 16." He did so and was cared for.

An accident in traffic took him to a hospital where he became delirious and repeated over and over in his unconscious state "John 3: 16. How it has helped me." Other patients wondered what he meant and looked up this familiar text and his repetitions influenced them to become more concerned with practical religious life.

A dying patient, wretched with the thoughts of his past, unworthy life, listened to the comforting word and instead of leaving this life unprepared, this elderly man took the text to heart and passed away peacefully and untroubled. The small boy became a trusted young man and was given a responsible position.

A musical quiz was afterwards conducted, the boys competing with the girls. The score was very odd, the girls winning by five points. Miss Marguerite Bowes played a tune and the person was given fifteen seconds after to name it. Miss Burt was questioner, and Lloyd Taggart and Miss Phyllis McLeod the judges.

Miss Evelyn Orti read from John 3: 14-21. A good-sized number of young people paraded together into church Sunday night as part of the big congregation attending the impressive C.G.I.T. service.

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G. H. DUNN, City Clerk.

Kelowna, B.C., February 5th, 1940.

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## ADJUDICATORS FOR FESTIVAL ARE NAMED

Miss Barbara Hinton and Major Bullock-Webster are Appointed

Miss Barbara Hinton, director of physical education for the provincial normal school, Victoria, has been appointed adjudicator for the dancing classes at the Okanagan Valley Musical Festival to be held in Kelowna on April 18, 19 and 20. Major Bullock-Webster, also of Victoria, director of community drama in the department of education, will adjudicate the verse speaking classes.

Bernard Naylor, one of the outstanding young musicians in the

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